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Tennessee Crop Weather

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For the Week Ending June 25, 2023

CROP CONDITIONS IMPROVE WITH WIDESPREAD RAINFALL

Widespread rain was received across the state throughout the week, greatly improving soil moisture conditions and revitalizing thirsty crops and fields. In between the welcome bouts of rainfall, producers continued to harvest wheat and the first cutting of hay has also neared completion. Producers have been working diligently to finish up planting soybeans as weather conditions allow with most of the crop in the ground currently in good condition as it emerges. Some areas received strong storms over the weekend with wind gusts reported over 75mph, leaving over 100,000 people without power heading into Monday morning. There have been no reports yet of related crop damage. Statewide, there were 4.4 days suitable for fieldwork. Topsoil moisture was 9 percent very short, 15 percent short, 71 percent adequate, and 5 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture was 5 percent very short, 22 percent short, 70 percent adequate, and 3 percent surplus.

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CROP PROGRESS	This Week	Last Week	2022	5 Year Avg.	Item	Very Poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
Percent					Percent					
Corn – Silking	18	4	22	25	Winter Wheat	2	1	13	52	32
Cotton - Planted	100	99	99	99	Cotton	0	3	22	60	15
Cotton - Squaring	33	23	32	36	Corn	0	4	23	58	15
Cotton – Setting Bolls	6	1	3	1	Soybeans	1	5	24	55	15
Winter Wheat - Harvested	71	50	76	79	Cattle	1	3	18	65	13
Soybeans – Planted	92	87	92	91	Pasture	3	9	32	50	6
Soybeans – Emerged	83	77	82	81	Hay	1	5	28	56	10
Soybeans – Blooming	24	10	11	9						
Tobacco - Transplanted	89	81	90	90						
Hay – First Cutting	92	87	92	n/a						